What is claimed is:

- 1. A composition comprising
- 5 a) one or more pesticides and
 - b) one or more compounds selected from formula I

$$R^{1}-N\{(A^{1}O)_{r}H\}-(CH_{2})_{3}-N\{(A^{2}O)_{s}H\}-[(CH_{2})_{3}-N\{(A^{3}O)_{t}H\}]_{a}-(CH_{2})_{y}-10$$

$$[N\{(A^{4}O)_{u}H\}-(CH_{2})_{3}]_{b}-N\{(A^{5}O)_{v}H\}-(CH_{2})_{3}-N\{(A^{6}O)_{w}H\}-R^{2} \qquad (I)$$

in which

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- R¹ and R² are, in each case independently of one another, a linear or branched alkyl or alkenyl residue with 6 to 30 carbon atoms,
- A^1 to A^6 are, in each case independently of one another, a group of the formula $-C_2H_4$ or $-C_3H_6$ -,
- r, s, t, u, v and w are, in each case independently of one another, a number from 1 to 400,

the sum of the numbers r, s, t, u, v and w has values from 10 to 600,

- 25 a and b are, in each case independently of one another, a number from 0 to 10, and
 - y is a number from 2 to 10,

the compounds of the formula I also including those derivatives in which a fourth residue is bonded to one or more nitrogen atoms, which residue is chosen from H and linear or branched alkyl groups with 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and the counterions of these derivatives are chosen from chloride.

bromide, iodide, fluoride, sulfate, hydrogensulfate, carbonate, hydrogencarbonate, phosphate, mono- and dihydrogenphosphate, pyrophosphate, metaphosphate, nitrate, methyl sulfate, phosphonate, methylphosphonate, methanedisulfonate, methanesulfonate, or ethanesulfonate, or from anionic compounds of the formula R⁶SO₃⁻ and R⁷SO₄⁻ or R⁶COO⁻ in which R⁶ and R⁷ are linear or branched C₈-C₂₀ alkyl, and R⁷ is, in addition, also C₇-C₁₈ alkylphenyl.

A composition as claimed in claim 1, wherein the pesticide or pesticides are
 chosen from the N-(phosphonomethyl)glycine (glyphosate) class of substances.

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- A composition as claimed in claim 2, wherein glyphosate is present as free acid or as alkali metal, ammonium, alkylamine, alkylsulfonium,
 alkylphosphonium, sulfonylamine or aminoguanidine salt.
 - 4. A composition as claimed in one or more of claims 1 to 3, which comprises compounds of the formula I in which
- 20 R¹ and R² are, in each case independently of one another, an alkyl residue with 8 to 19 carbon atoms,
 - A^1 to A^6 are, in each case independently of one another, a group of the formula $-C_2H_4$ or $-C_3H_6$ -,

r, s, t, u, v and w are, in each case independently of one another, a number from 1 to 400.

the sum of the numbers r, s, t, u, v and w has values from 10 to 600,

a and b are, in each case independently of one another, a number from 0 to 10, and

y is 2.

- 5. A composition as claimed in claim 4, wherein a and b are 0.
- 5 6. A composition as claimed in one or more of claims 1 to 5, wherein R¹ and R² are a tallow fatty residue.
 - 7. A composition as claimed in one or more of claims 1 to 6, which exists as a concentrate formulation to be diluted before use and comprises 5 to 60 weight% of pesticide and 5 to 50 weight% of one or more compounds of the formula I.
 - 8. A composition as claimed in one or more of claims 1 to 6, which exists as a solid formulation to be dissolved in water before use and comprises 20 to 80 weight% of pesticide and 5 to 80 weight% of one or more compounds of the formula I.
- 9. A composition as claimed in one or more of claims 1 to 6, which exists as a spray mixture and comprises 0.001 to 10 weight% of pesticide and 0.01 to 10 weight% of one or more compounds of the formula I.
 - 10. A composition as claimed in one or more of claims 1 to 9, which comprises agrochemical salts, preferably ammonium salts.
- 25 11. A composition as claimed in claim 10, wherein the agrochemical salts are chosen from ammonium sulfate, ammonium nitrate, ammonium phosphate, ammonium thiocyanate and/or ammonium chloride.
 - 12. Use of

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- a) one or more pesticides and
- b) one or more compounds selected from formula I

 $R^{1}-N\{(A^{1}O)_{r}H\}-(CH_{2})_{3}-N\{(A^{2}O)_{s}H\}-[(CH_{2})_{3}-N\{(A^{3}O)_{t}H\}]_{a}-(CH_{2})_{y}-[N\{(A^{4}O)_{u}H\}-(CH_{2})_{3}]_{b}-N\{(A^{5}O)_{v}H\}-(CH_{2})_{3}-N\{(A^{6}O)_{w}H\}-R^{2} \qquad (I)$

in which

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r, s, t, u, v and w are, in each case independently of one another, a number from 1 to 400,

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the sum of the numbers r, s, t, u, v and w has values from 10 to 600,

a and b are, in each case independently of one another, a number from 0 to 10, and

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y is a number from 2 to 10,

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the compounds of the formula I also including those derivatives in which a fourth residue is bonded to one or more nitrogen atoms, which residue is chosen from H and linear or branched alkyl groups with 1 to 6 carbon atoms, and the counterions of these derivatives are chosen from chloride, bromide, iodide, fluoride, sulfate, hydrogensulfate, carbonate, hydrogencarbonate, phosphate, mono- and dihydrogenphosphate, pyrophosphate, metaphosphate, nitrate, methyl sulfate, phosphonate, methylphosphonate, methanedisulfonate, methanesulfonate, or ethanesulfonate, or from anionic compounds of the formula R⁶SO₃ and R⁷SO₄ or R⁶COO in which R⁶ and R⁷ are linear or branched C₈-C₂₀ alkyl, and R⁷ is, in addition, also C₇-C₁₈ alkylphenyl,

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in controlling and/or combating weeds.

- 13. The use as claimed in claim 12 in the tank-mix process.
- The use as claimed in claim 12, wherein the pesticide or pesticides are present in water or an organic solvent and the compound or the compounds according to formula I are present without solvent or in water and the abovementioned substances are mixed with one another before application.
- 10 15. The use as claimed in claim 14, wherein the pesticide or pesticides and the one or more compounds according to formula I are present in water.